(b) if so, the details thereof along with the places where such institutes have been set up;

(c) whether the Government propose to set up more such institutes in Uttar Pradesh;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the time by which these institutes are likely to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA): (a) and (b) No Sir. Ministry of Welfare, Govt. of India have not set up Institutes in various states for imparting training and education to the spastic children. However, grants in aid are being given to the NGOs including Spastic Societies for this purpose.

(c) to (e) No Sir. No such proposal is under consideration of Government.

[English]

Crimes Against Children

2667 SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether crimes against children have been increasing in the country;

(b) if so, whether any critical study to identify the factors responsible for indulgence of the children into the crimes has been made by the Government;

(c) if so, the details thereof stating the nature of crimes in which the children are mostly involved;

(d) the number of crime cases in which the children were found involved during 1995 and 1996; and

(e) the measures taken by the Government to check this menace?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR): (a) to (e) Available information relating to incidence of crimes against children during 1994 and 1995 is given in the enclosed *statements* I and II.

Poverty, break-up of families, death of close relatives and ill-treatment have been identified, inter-alia, as some of the major factors responsible for the indulgence of children into crimes.

Available information relating to juvenile delinquencies during 1993 and 1994 is contained in the enclosed *Statement-III*.

The Government has taken a number of measures to prevent various modes of child abuse. For example, a major activity undertaken under the National Child Labour Project is the establishment of special schools to provide non-formal education, vocational training, supplementary nutrition, stipend, health care etc. A high powered body for the elimination of child labour has been constituted under the Chairmanship of Labour Minister. NGOs are being increasingly involved to help in the rehabilitation of child prostitues. Adolescent girls scheme, day care centres/creches, residential schools for rescued children are some of the other schemes being implemented for child welfare.

STATEMENT-I

Incidence of Crimes Committed Against Children During 1994

State/UT	Infanti-cides	Foeticide	Abet-ment of sui-cide	Expos-ure & Abduc-tion of child-Ren	Kidnapp-ing & Abduc-tion of Child-Ren	Procura-tion of Minor Girls	Selling of Girls for Prosti-tution	Buy-ing of Girls for Pros-titution	Child Marri-age Res-tra-int Act	Total
1 2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
States										
1. Andhra Pradesh	10	1	0	0	46	2	8	0	0	67
2. Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3. Assam	0	0	0	0	12	19	2	0	1	34
4. Bihar	23	0	0	0	77	69	5	0	9	183
5. Goa	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
6. Gujarat	4	6	1	43	98	27	0	0	20	199
7. Haryana	2	0	0	4	26	6	0	0	2	40
8. Himachal Pradesh	0	0	0	7	22	2	0	0	5	36
9. Jammu and Kashmir	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10. Karnataka	1	0	0	5	7	4	0	0	1	18

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
11	Kerala	1	0	0	1	7	3	0	0	3	15
12	Madhya Pradesh	21	17	3	97	61	10	1	0	3	213
13	Maharashtra	49	17	1	287	102	45	1	1	5	500
14	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
18	Orissa	9	0	0	4	30	4	0	0	0	47
19	Punjab	4	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	12
20	Rajasthan	4	4	2	14	3	1	0	0	3	31
21	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Tamilnadu	1	0	0	1	7	1	0	0	0	10
23	Tripura	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	3
24	Uttar Pradesh	0	0	0	4	170	5	0	0	1	180
25	West Bengal	0	0	0	0	53	6	1	3	0	63
	Total (States)	130	45	7	468	732	206	18	4	53	1663
	Union Territories										
26	A and N Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Chandigarh	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3
28	D and N Haveli	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
29	Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Delhi	1	0	0	22	123	0	15	0	0	161
31	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	Pondicherry	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	5
	Total (UTs)	1	0	0	23	132	0	16	0	0	172
	Total (All-India)	131	45	7	491	864	206	34	4	53	1835

STATEMENT-II

Incidence of Crimes Committed Against Children During 1995

State/UT	Infanti cides	Foeticide	Abet ment of sui cide	Expos ure & Aban onment	Kidnap ping & Abduc tion of Child ren	Procura tion of Minor Girls	Selling of Girls for Prosti tution	Buy ing of Girls for Pros titution	Child Marri age Res tra int Act	Total	Remarks (Figs are upto the month of)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	States										
1	Andhra Pradesh	5	0	0	1	59	6	0	2	2	75	
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	
3	Assam	1	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	10	
4	Bihar	4	0	0	0	15	8	1	0	1	29	May
5	Goa	2	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	9	
6	Gujarat	8	8	2	86	97	8	0	1	21	231	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
7	Haryana	1	0	0	0	15	2	0	0	0	18	
8	Himachal Pradesh	2	0	0	5	8	0	0	0	6	21	
9	Jammu and Kashmir	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	0	1	
10	Karnataka	3	1	0	2	13	2	0	1	2	24	
11	Kerala	0	0	0	4	9	0	0	0	3	16	
12	Madhya Pradesh	49	14	4	106	50	4	1	0	4	232	
13	Maharashtra	40	8	2	313	99	23	2	0	11	498	
14	Manipur	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
15	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
16	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
17	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
18	Orissa	1	1	0	1	10	5	0	0	0	18	
19	Punjab	4	0	0	5	3	1	0	1	0	14	
20	Rajasthan	2	3	0	14	11	1	0	0	3	34	October
21	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
22	Tamilnadu	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	7	
23	Tripura	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
24	Uttar Pradesh	2	0	0	0	104	0	0	0	0	106	
25	West Bengal	1	0	0	0	129	10	12	13	0	165	
	Total (States)	132	35	8	540	630	81	16	18	53	1513	
	Union Territories											
26	A and N Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
27	Chandigarh	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	5	
28	D and N Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
29	Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	November
30	Delhi	0	1	0	22	46	0	0	0	0	69	
31	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
32	Pondicherry	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	5	
	Total (UTs)	0	1	0	27	50	1	0	0	0	79	
	Total (All-India)	132	36	8	567	680	82	16	18	53	1592	

STATEMENT-III

S.No	Crime Head	Year 1993	1994
1	2	3	4
1	Murder	297	288
2	Attempt to Murder	182	166
3	C.H. not Amounting to murder	15	19
4	Rape	168	176
5	Kidnapping and Abduction	184	95
6	Dacoity	51	32
7	Preparation and Assembly for Dacoity	5	23
8	Robbery	98	49
9	Burglary	1138	1294
10	Theft	2404	2346
11	Riot	1023	637
12	Criminal Breach of Trust	15	17
13	Cheating	63	24
14	Counterfeiting	1	3
15	Other IPC Cases	3821	3392
16	Total Cog. Crime under IPC	9465	8561

Source : Crime in India